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## At Danville.

## Death of Mrs. Morrill.

Mrs. Isaac A. Morrill died at her home in Melrose, Wednesday, of paralysis, aged 60 years. Emily A. Page was the oldest in the family of six children of Nathan B. and Geraldine Farrar Page. She was born in Danville, Jan. 15, 1849. She was married to Isaac Morrill, July 4, 1865. She was a lady of excellent character, a model housekeeper, a faithful wife and mother, and respected by all. She had been in very feeble health for several years, having had several shocks during that time, so that she could not walk much, and the past year she was confined to her bed. She was very patient during the whole time. The funeral was held at the home of her sister, Miss Ellen Page, in Danville, Friday, Rev. J. F. Schneider officiating. Mrs. J. D. Sturdevant sang several beautiful selections, and the casket was literally strewn with flowers. She leaves beside her husband, a daughter, Mrs. Alice Heath, of Melrose, two sisters and two brothers, Henry A., and Ellen C. Page, Mrs. Etta McCormick of Danville and George H. Page of Boston; also five grandchildren. Those present at the funeral from out of town were Isaac Morrill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heath and four children of Melrose, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morrill of Montpelier, George N. Page of Boston, William Wallace of Danville, Mrs. Ida Page of St. Johnsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hoyt of East Barnet, John Morrill and Cora Curtis of Passumpsic.

Arthur Ayer is visiting relatives in Haverhill, N. H.

Mrs. Aaron D. Smith visited her brother, George Borland, in Walden, over Sunday.

Coburn Grier, who has been visiting his brother, J. W. Grier, returned to Keene, N. H., Monday. His father, A. L. Grier, returned with him.

Will Richards of Greensboro visited at Zenas Kittredge's last week.

Rev. J. F. Schneider will continue his talks on "The Life and Character of Christ" at the Thursday evening service, and a rehearsal for the Easter music will be held at the vestry at 8.30 Thursday evening.

The Sunday school of the Methodist church will hold a social and corn chowder supper Friday evening. All will be given a cordial welcome.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Thomas Clifford Friday afternoon.

The mid-week service of the Methodist church will be held Thursday afternoon at 7 o'clock.

Mr. M. V. B. Sargent and daughter, Mrs. Mary Sargent, left Friday on the Madison excursion for Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Ella Page has returned from West Newbury, Mass.

Will Worthen of Morrisville visited relatives in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stocker entertained several of their friends at tea Friday.

Mrs. Lovina Ward, who has been staying with Mrs. A. L. Ingalls during the winter, returned to her home last week.

Mrs. Lara Wesson May was in town last week visiting her father and calling on other friends.

Mrs. Bert Wilson of Providence, R. I., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Soren Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. Plyn Bolton have both been ill the past week.

B. U. Wells, the West Danville merchant, has just received a large stock of Mens' and Boys' ready-made Suits and Ladies' Fancy White Waists which he is offering at grocery prices. Call and look them over.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bixby visited friends in St. Johnsbury over Sunday.

The regular meeting of Washburn Lodge, F. and A. M., will occur Wednesday evening, April 7.

George Green, who has been very ill, is convalescing.

The Mission Club will meet at the parlors, Friday, at 3.45 p. m. All finished articles for the Labrador box may be brought at this time.

The Greenleaf Club will meet at Mrs. Ramsey's, Saturday, at 2.30 p. m.

The "Familiar Lights" will meet with Mrs. Tilton, Saturday, at 2 o'clock sharp.

The Victor Boys have been invited to two or three sugar parties, and thus will not meet in the Library again until after the sugar season.

Palm Sunday will be observed next Sunday morning, in the Congregational church, with appropriate sermon and music.

The Christian Endeavor society will hold a social and sugar party at the church parlors, Saturday evening.

## CABOT.

Two Barns Burned.

The overturning of a barn in the hay caused the destruction of two barns and their contents, except most of the livestock, belong to Irving, Fifield Farm. The loss is estimated at \$17,000, partially covered by insurance. Hay was being thrown down from the mows to the barn floor, and the lighted lantern was set on a beam. In some manner it became overturned into the hay, and in a moment the mow was all afire. There was no chance to save the building, so all efforts were turned toward getting out the livestock. All of the animals were taken out with the exception of one hog. Included in the loss were most of the farming utensils stored in the barns, as well as the hay.

Francis L. Knapp has been granted an increase in pension at the rate of \$30 per month from Feb. 19, 1909.

## WEST DANVILLE. A Surprise.

The young people of the village planned and carried to successful completion a surprise to Henry W. Cook at the home of his parents, Monday evening. Both young and old were present and filled the house. Refreshments consisting of cake, coffee and fruit were served and the evening was spent with music and games. A nice purse of money was presented to him and he also received a \$10 gold piece from his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rowe from St. Johnsbury also nice presents from other friends. He was greatly surprised and highly gratified. He goes to Boston, Wednesday and leaves Boston April 5 for Denver, Col. All wish him health and success.

There will be a box supper at Maplewood Hall, April 8 at 8 p. m., by N. E. O. P. Lodge, No. 280. Everybody is invited and all ladies are requested to bring boxes.

Leroy Brickett is failing. His father and mother from St. Johnsbury and his aunt, Miss Jennie McLeod, from Massachusetts are staying with him at present and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brickett, spent Sunday with him.

Charles Bean from Newark has been visiting friends here.

Mrs. J. M. Rowe from St. Johnsbury was at her sister's, Mrs. G. W. Cook, Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crane of Cabot were at G. W. Cook's, Monday evening to attend the party given Mrs. Crane's brother, Henry W. Cook.

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## SOUTH RYEGLATE.

The Live Wire Club realized over \$35 from their mock trial, Friday evening.

Principal C. P. Howland of St. Johnsbury Academy occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church, Sunday morning, in the absence of Rev. W. S. Wallace, who is in Haverhill, Mass.

Mrs. C. M. Libby and Miss Mabel C. Hall were guests of Mrs. Edson Doe at South Newbury from Thursday to Saturday.

The Osgood Granite Co. of Northfield has leased M. H. Gibson's stone sheds below the village and will begin operations May 1. They have contracts for two big post office buildings to be built of Ryeagate granite, and will do the work here.

The Presbyterian church is being wired this week and it is expected that the lights will be turned on Sunday evening.

J. W. Randall, who has been spending the winter in Newport, has returned and is quite ill at the home of T. S. Gray. Mrs. A. E. McAllister of West Newbury is caring for him.

W. A. Roy is slowly improving.

The house and barn belonging to Joseph Williamson were burned Saturday night and Sunday morning. The fire caught from a chimney in the house. It was thought to be extinguished, but started up in the night, and by morning house and barn were in ruins.

Communion will be observed Sunday morning in the Presbyterian church. The preparatory service will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Mizpah Bible class will give a supper, Thursday, from 5 to 8 o'clock, at the home of Charles E. Green.

Mrs. Lydia Bailey is quite ill with the grip, but is somewhat improved.

## GROTON.

E. F. Clark returned from Harrisburg, Penn., Thursday.

Mrs. D. E. Gordon and children of Hillsboro Bridge, N. H., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Blanchard.

Mrs. Frank Heath is quite sick with the grip.

The ladies of the Baptist church will give a new sugar social at the vestry Friday evening.

Mrs. Eliza Sargent, who has been sick for several months, is failing.

Prof. Hayden of Jericho spoke at the Methodist church Sunday morning and at the Baptist church in the evening in the interests of the Anti-Saloon League.

Wallace Clark of East Montpelier is spending a few weeks with his son, E. W. Clark.

Miss Clara Vance is ill with scarlet fever.

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## Gallant.

Beautiful Widow—Do you know, I'm forty years old today?

Gallant Bachelor—Madam, you are twenty. I never believe more than half of what I hear.

## Corrected.

Miss Kitty—Before you were married, Mrs. Blunt, did your husband bring you many flowers? Mrs. Blunt—I didn't have any husband before I was married, dear.

Pessimism leads to weakness; optimism leads to power.—William James.

## INVESTMENT IN TREES.

Experience of an Expert in Cultivating Forests.

The planting and care of forest trees have been carried on for several years now by State Forester A. F. Hawes of Connecticut, with interesting results. Mr. Hawes' experience, boiled down to a few lines, indicates that for sandy, cheap lands, such as were used for most of the experiments, the best trees are pines—white Scotch, Norway and pitch. It appears that in the long run white pine is the best, the trees being cheaper and the growth through a term of years being equal to any and the lumber of good market value. The Norway pine is also considered very satisfactory, although the trees cost more at the outset. The Scotch pine is a very rapid grower and will do well for planting in open spaces, white pines requiring some shade of bushes or brush to do its best at the start. Two-year-old trees are most satisfactory.

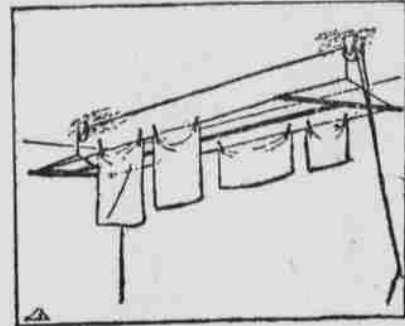
The young pines can be bought for about \$3 per thousand and at five or six feet apart are set 1,500 to the acre. In fairly open land the cost of planting was \$1.70 per thousand, with higher costs in rough or bushy ground. Examination of a number of old plantations of white pine in the state indicates that with cheap lands and low cost planting the pine would prove profitable as a crop, paying at least 5 per cent compound interest at present prices of lumber, with every probability that prices will be higher by the time plantings now made are ready for market.

Attention is called to the very rapid way in which the investment increases by compound interest and taxes. It is plainly unfair that the lumber crop should be taxed over and over again during growth, the tax gradually eating up the profit from the plantation.

It would seem that every state would see the advantage of encouraging business tree planting by abating the tax on past growth and taxing only the annual increase. An original investment of \$5 per acre for land and \$12 for planting, compound interest and taxes, in Connecticut amounts to \$75 by the thirtieth year and to \$850 in seventy years. The present value of old plantations indicates that the growth of pine lumber would pay for the investment and interest if original cost were kept as low as possible. The amount of lumber in one planting seventy years old showed that the annual growth had been around a thousand feet, indicating a yearly average income of \$6 per acre for seventy years. Such figures indicate that forestry is a very good business investment for the state as well as being desirable for other reasons.

## Interior Clothesline.

The clothesline or hanger as illustrated herewith is intended for use in the house during wet or cloudy weather. The frame is made with a center piece of round wood about one inch in diameter and any length to suit the size of the room. The wood may be square if a round piece cannot be secured. The two end pieces are of the same material and eighteen inches long. The pieces are held together at



the connections with small braces made from iron. The frame is hung to the ceiling on three one-half inch brass screw pulleys. Clotheslines are stretched between the end pieces on which to hang the clothes.

## Loading the Wagon.

It is generally believed that the load pulls easier if put well forward on the wagon. But this is not so on the ordinary wagon, where the hind wheels are larger than the front ones. Should the wheels be equal in size the load should be equally distributed. If the trucks are so low down that the horses have an upward pull on the load, then it would be all right to put the load well forward. The load should be proportioned to the surface contact of the wheels. A large wheel sinks less than a small one. Therefore the load should be heaviest on the hind wheels. Distribute the weight so that no one wheel or no one side is carrying the greater share, lest it make the draft excessive for the tonnage carried.

## Wash Eggs For Market.

It would in a sense be better to wash eggs sent to market than to send them in a dirty condition. But washed eggs have no keeping qualities. The water appears to dissolve the gelatinous substance which seals the pores of the shell, and air is thus admitted and soon starts decomposition. The better way to treat dirty eggs is to take a woolen rag only slightly moistened with water and gently rub off the dirt.

## Nut Industry on the Farm.

An industry which the farmer might take up with profit is nut growing. Improved nut trees begin bearing at about six or eight years, bearing the same as apple or pear trees. Large trees when grafted begin to bear about the third or fourth year, and large trees that are budded will bear sooner than small ones, but the small ones bear longest. English walnuts can now be grown in the central states.

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## EAST ST. JOHNSBURY.

About one o'clock Sunday morning people in this village were awakened by the call of fire and it was soon learned that what is known as the old Brown house was all in flames. As there was no wind other houses were not endangered and it soon burned to the ground. The house was vacated Saturday, Mr. Moore, who had been living there, having moved into Mrs. Moulton's house. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is thought that in removing the pipes a spark may have fallen in the rubbish and then smoldered until it broke into flames.

Mrs. Albert Lee is spending a few weeks in Glover with her daughter, Mrs. Chester Parker.

James Ramage spent a few days last week at Ard-na-Clachan Farm, but has returned to Boston.

John Babcock, who is in the employ of the Johnson Lumber Co., as bookkeeper and stenographer, spent a few days at his home last week.

Miss Abbie Smith is spending her Easter vacation with her sister in Morris-town, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Graves are in Washington, D. C.

Miss May Stiles of Pike, N. H., spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Winslow.

Arthur Brown, who has been at the home of his father several months, has returned to Worcester, Mass.

The remains of Julia Meader, wife of Bert McGinness, were brought here for burial. Mrs. McGinness died at her home in Franklin, N. H., last Monday. The funeral was held at the home of George McGinness, Wednesday. The deceased is pleasantly remembered here where she lived for a short time several years ago. She leaves besides her husband three little children and many friends and relatives.

The Christian Endeavor society will give a sugar party and poetry social at the church vestry Friday evening.

## Heard at Breakfast.

"I used to be a weather prophet in my home town," confided the new boarder as he speared a potato with his fork.

"Sh!" commented the comedian boarder facetiously.

"Yes, and every time I look at that steak it reminds me of a winter's day."

"How so?"

"Cold and raw."

"Quite clever. How does the coffee strike you?"

"That reminds me of a November day—cloudy and unsettled."

"Good. And do you notice that the landlady is watching us?"

"Yes, and she reminds me of a March day."

"Tell us why."

"Because she is cold and stormy."

And the look that the landlady passed down to that end of the table would have congealed a red-hot stove.—Chicago News.

## Lincoln's Speeches and Writings.

Lincoln's great speeches are short, but how fit in expression, how packed with meaning! Take, for example, the one delivered to his friends on the eve of his departure for Washington. Like the second inaugural or the address at Gettysburg, it contains no superfluous word. Every one fits into place as perfectly as the carpenter's braces and timbers into the completed building.

As a writer, Mr. Lincoln was most painstaking. He sought always the simplest, shortest and best word. He knew that the simplest and shortest word usually is the best. The real secret of his greatness as a speaker and a writer, however, lay deeper. It was the supreme greatness of his soul which shone through his words that charmed and still charms the world.—J. A. Edgerton.

## The Insanity Plea.

"Sir!" said the young woman, with what seemed to be indignation. The young man looked embarrassed.

"But I did kiss you," he admitted, "but I was impulsively insane."

"That means that a man would be a lunatic to kiss me?"

"Well, any man of discretion would be just crazy to kiss you."

This seemed to ease the strain, and no jury being present to muddle affairs, a satisfactory verdict was reached.—Philadelphia Ledger.

## She Admitted It.

"What do you ask for this plaque?" inquired an old gentleman of the pretty girl in charge of a church bazaar.

"One guinea," she replied.

"Aren't you a little dear?" queried the old gentleman.

"Well," answered the pretty girl, blushing, "that's what the boys all tell me."

## Human at Least.

An American player who fulfilled several London engagements under the late Sir Henry Irving tells a story of a young man employed as the tragedian's dresser when Irving was the lessee of the Lyceum theater. The young fellow had been recommended for the place by Clarkson, the celebrated wig-maker. Irving was as exacting in matters of makeup as he was in everything else relating to stage equipment, and he succeeded in impressing Clarkson with a deep sense of responsibility.

Shortly after his entering upon his new duties Clarkson called upon his former employer. As Clarkson had noticed that he did not get as many orders for wigs from Irving as he formerly did, he had begun to suspect that the dresser was accountable.

"Are you making Sir Henry's wigs?" Clarkson demanded without preliminary.

"Sometimes."

"Do you call that a wig?" sneered the caller, pointing to an article on the dressing table. "Do you mean to tell me that you believe that thing looks at all like a wig?"

"No, sir, I don't," hotly replied the dresser, now considerably irritated, "but I do mean to say as how it looks like the 'air of the 'uman 'ead'!"—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

## Character of the Montenegrins.

Nowhere is love of country more intense than among the Montenegrins, to whom exile is the greatest of punishments. When Mr. W. J. Stillman was there in the seventies all the free men were away fighting, and he observed how, when a messenger was wanted, the official took a man out of the prison and sent him off, with no fear that he would not return. One such messenger was sent to Cattaro, in Austrian territory, with 3,000 florins for the bank, and duly came back. Another asked a Russian at Cattaro to intercede with Prince Nicholas for his release from prison. "But you are not in prison!" said the Russian. "Oh," said the man, "I have only come down for a load of skins for So-and-so, but I must go into prison again when I get back to Cetinje." One guard watched all the prisoners when they sunned themselves out of doors, and if he were called away a prisoner would take his rifle and do duty for the time.—London Chronicle.

## A Busy Holiday.

"Now, I don't think Timmy 'll be stayin' long on this new job he's took up wid," said Mrs. Herlihy. "Tis too hard for him. Sure, he gets no rist at all from Monda' mornin' till Sathurda' night, and 'tis not what the man's used to."

"He has his Sundays to rist in," hazarded the caller boldly.

"An' what o' that?" said Mrs. Herlihy. "On Sunda's he has to go to church an' take the children to the grandmamma's an' visit wid his cousins an' all—'tis no rist at all."

"Was man day out of ivery fortnit he had wid the ould job, wa'n't it?" queried the caller.

"It was," said Mrs. Herlihy, "an' 'twas a grand vacation he had. I'd save ivery bit of the washin', and he'd wring it out fine an' bang it on the line for me; thin he'd saw an' split wood enough to last till the nixt vacation day, an' he'd bate ivery mat in the house an' shine up the faucets an' the b'iler an' wash the windas, an' there'd always be some little extra help, drivin' nails or the like, he cud give me."

"An' whin he'd go to his bed at night he'd never fail to say to me, 'Well, Celia, my vacation day is over, but I feel like it's made me ready to go back to wurk tomorror,' he'd say."

—Youth's Companion.

## An Indestructible Color.

The indestructible floral color is yellow. You cannot, even with sulphurous acid fumes, destroy it. Take a heartsease and try. You will consume the purple tint easily enough, but the yellow will remain for all your filthy fumes.—Fry's Magazine.

## Remembered.

"Did your uncle remember you in his will?"

"Yes. He directed his executors to collect all the loans he had made me."

—Boston Transcript.

## Thunder at Home.

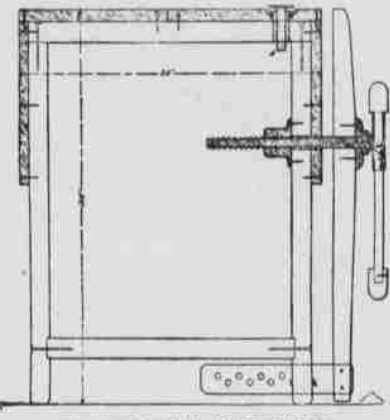
Husband—Did you hear the storm when it broke this morning? Wife—That wasn't the storm. It was the new girl washing the breakfast dishes.

—Baltimore American.

## Farm and Garden FOR FARM EQUIPMENT.

Cheap and Efficient Helps For Country Life.

The successful management of a modern farm depends largely upon the efficiency of the equipment with which the work is performed. In addition to the outfit of tools obtainable from a hardware dealer, there are a number of special devices that may be made on the farm and that will prove of great assistance in general repair work. A workbench of some kind will probably be the first essential. For the construction of a workbench like that shown in the first cut there will be needed four boards seven-eighths inch thick, twelve to fourteen inches wide and about twelve feet in length. The length of the bench, however, will depend upon the size of the shop or other space that may be available for use as



CROSS SECTION WORKBENCH.

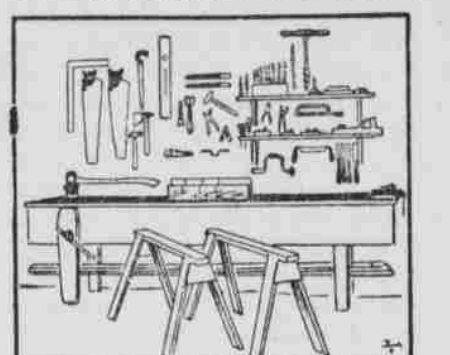
a workshop. Two pieces of 2 by 4 inch scantling, each sixteen feet long, will be sufficient to construct the framework of the bench. All lumber entering into the construction of the workbench should be thoroughly seasoned and dressed to uniform width and thickness.

A clamp for holding materials should be constructed from a piece of hard wood and attached by the aid of a carpenter's bench screw. This clamp should be provided with notches or pin holes at the lower end so that it can be set to hold materials of any thickness. Along the front of the bench two or three holes should be provided, into which pins may be set for supporting boards or other materials that are too long to be held rigid by the clamp alone.

A "stop" for holding materials that are to be planed can be inserted in the top of the bench, near the left hand end, as shown in the cut. If a regular stop is not employed its place may be taken by a small piece of notched board nailed on top of the bench.

A pair of trestles or sawhorses, each consisting of a piece of 2 by 4 inch or 2 by 6 inch timber, about four feet in length, supported upon four legs, as illustrated in the second figure, are very convenient for working upon while marking, sawing, boring or chiseling. The sawhorses are an accessory to the workbench and should be constructed at the same time. The cost of the materials with which to construct both the workbench and sawhorses should not exceed \$5. Among the accessories to the workbench there is no device that will give greater satisfaction than a good miter box, to be used for sawing small wood materials either square or at an angle. For the construction of a miter box three pieces of board one inch thick, six inches wide and three feet in length should be selected and nailed together in the form of a square trough, taking care that the nails are driven well out toward the edge of the boards. Vertical cuts are sawed through the sides to the bottom board

to guide the saw when the box is in use. Near one end a cut is made at



INTERIOR OF WORKSHOP WITH TWENTY-FIVE DOLLAR OUTFIT.

the right angles with the length of the box to be used in making square cuts. For making bevel cuts for a right angled miter joint the sides of the box should be sawed down on oblique lines running at an angle of forty-five degrees with the length of the box.

For the benefit of those who contemplate the purchase of tools for use on the farm the following combinations are suggested:

For a two dollar and fifty cent outfit—a hatchet, a handsaw, a small square, a screwdriver